IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

) Confirmation No. 9250
) Group Art Unit: 2151
Applicants: ILLIKKAL et al.) Examiner: John Walsh
Application No.: 10/667,691) AMENDMENT and RESPONSE to May
Filing Date: 9/22/2003) 21, 2007 Non-Final Office Action
For: SPECULATIVE PRE-FETCH OF A PROTOCOL CONTROL BLOCK FROM AN EXTERNAL MEMORY UNIT) Docket No.: P16487
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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 21, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.